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1. SCIATT IS REQUESTED TO TAKE UP WITH DR. IZRAEL OF HY-
DROMET THE POSSIBILITY OF LECTURES AND VISITS BY TWO U.S.
SCIENTISTS IN OCTOBER. THEY ARE DR. ALAN J. GROBECKER
AND DR. SAMUEL C. CORONITI, WHO DIRECT THE CLIMATIC IMPACT
ASSESSMENT PROGRAM (CIAP) AT THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.

2. DURING HIS RECENT VISIT, DR. IZRAEL WAS GIVEN SOME INFOR-
MATION ABOUT CIAP, WHICH FORMS PART OF SUBJECT MATTER TO BE
STUDIED IN ENVIRONMENTAL AGREEMENT PROJECT ON INFLUENCE OF
ENVIRONMENTAL CHANGES ON CLIMATE. (FULL REPORT OF IZRAEL
VISIT HAS BEEN POUCHED TO EMBASSY.) DURING HIS VISIT, NOAA
AGREED TO HOLD FIRST MEETING OF CLIMATE GROUP AUG 27-SEPT 2
DURING U.S. VISIT OF DR. BORISENKOV, HEAD OF MAIN GEO-
PHYSICAL LABORATORY (PART OF HYDROMET) IN LENINGRAD. SO-
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VIETS SEEM TO BE QUITE INTERESTED IN SCOPE OF CIAP AND ITS

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POSSIBLE RELEVANCE FOR THEIR ATMOSPHERIC MEASUREMENT
PROGRAMS.

3. CHAIRMAN TRAIN ALSO DISCUSSED WITH DR. IZRAEL OPPORTUN-
ITIES FOR VISITING SCIENTISTS TO LECTURE IN EACH OTHER'S
COUNTRY, AND IZRAEL SAID THEY FAVORED THIS PROCEDURE AND
IF ADVANCE NOTICE WERE GIVEN WOULD SEEK TO FACILITATE LECTURES.
ALTHOUGH GROBECKER-CORONTI VISIT NOT SPECIFICALLY UNDER
ENVIRONMENTAL AGREEMENT, IN VIEW CIAP'S CONNECTION WITH
AGREEMENT, AND IN VIEW SOVIET (AND SPECIFICALLY HYDROMET)
INTEREST IN CIAP, WE BELIEVE IZRAEL MAY BE WILLING HELP
SET UP LECTURES/VISITS FOR GROBECKER-CORONITI.

4. THEY WILL BE IN USSR TO ATTEND XXIV INTERNATIONAL ASTRO-
NAUTICAL CONGRESS IN BAKU. THEY ARE WILLING TO GIVE LECTURES
ON CIAP AT APPROPRIATE INSTITUTIONS INVOLVED IN ATMOSPHERIC
MEASUREMENTS. THEY ARE AWARE OF SUCH PROGRAMS AT MAIN GEO-
PHYSICAL LABORATORY IN LENINGRAD, AT LENINGRAD UNIVERSITY,
AND AT HYDROMET ITSELF IN MOSCOW. IF VISITS/LECTURES AT THESE
INSTITUTIONS COULD BE ARRANGED, THEIR PREFERRED SCHEDULE
WOULD BE: OCT 3- ARRIVE LENINGRAD; OCT 5- ARRIVE MOSCOW;
OCT 9- ARRIVE BAKU; OCT 14- DEPART BAKU FOR U.S. ROGERS

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